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Application No.:

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Inventors:

Wellington et al.

Title:

IN SITU THERMAL

PROCESSING OF A

HYDROCARBON

CONTAINING FORMATION

TO PRODUCE

HYDROCARBONS HAVING

A SELECTED CARBON

NUMBER RANGE

Examiner:

G.A. Suchfield

Group/Art Unit: 3672

Atty. Dkt. No.:

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Amendment

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Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1064, 1068, 5447, and 5455 without prejudice.

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